

**Notice of Allowability**

<b>Application No.</b> 10/685,159	<b>Applicant(s)</b> HAMADI ET AL.	
<b>Examiner</b> Sanh D. Phu	<b>Art Unit</b> 2618	

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1.  This communication is responsive to the Amendment filed on 7/30/2007.
2.  The allowed claim(s) is/are 1,4-7,10-12,16 and 17.
3.  Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
  - a)  All b)  Some\* c)  None of the:
    1.  Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
    2.  Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
    3.  Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

\* Certified copies not received: \_\_\_\_\_.

Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application. **THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.**

4.  A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
  5.  CORRECTED DRAWINGS ( as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
    - (a)  including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review ( PTO-948) attached
      - 1)  hereto or 2)  to Paper No./Mail Date \_\_\_\_\_.
    - (b)  including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date \_\_\_\_\_.
- Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6.  DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

**Attachment(s)**

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| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)   | 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application                     |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)                       | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413),<br>Paper No./Mail Date _____ |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),<br>Paper No./Mail Date _____    | 7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Amendment/Comment                   |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit<br>of Biological Material | 8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance  |
|  | 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____   |

### DETAILED ACTION

1. This Office Action is responsive to the Amendment filed on 7/30/07. Accordingly, claims 1-17 are currently pending, of which claims 1, 4-7, 10-12, 16 and 17 are elected claims; and claims 2, 3, 8, 9 and 13-15 are non-elected claims.

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

#### IN THE CLAIMS:

-Claims 2, 3, 8, 9 and 13-15 are canceled.

3. Note that this application is in condition for allowance except for the presence of claims 2, 3, 8, 9 and 13-15 directed to claims non-elected without traverse. Accordingly, claims 2, 3, 8, 9 and 13-15 have been cancelled.

### REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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4. Claims 1, 4-7, 10-12, 16 and 17 are allowed.

5. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

-Regarding independent claim 1, none of prior art of record teaches or suggests a method as claimed. Beach (2004/0076136) and Jones et al (6,879,600), (both previously cited), teach the claimed method, except neither of them teaches or suggests procedure of communicating wireless signals in a plurality of wireless technology standards at the same time to a wireless peripheral device during an initialization of the communication with the wireless peripheral device. In either of Beach and Jones et al, the wireless signals optionally or alternatively are transmitted to the wireless peripheral device in one of a plurality of wireless technology standards for each time, during an initialization of the communication with the wireless peripheral device. It would not have been obvious for one skilled in the art to implement either of Beach and Jones et al for leading such the implementation to the claimed invention.

-Regarding independent claim 7, none of prior art of record teaches or suggests a method as claimed. Beach and Jones et al teach the claimed method,

except neither of them teaches or suggests procedure of instructing multiple wireless systems to communicate wireless signals at the same time to a wireless peripheral device during an initialization of the communication with the wireless peripheral device, the multiple wireless systems utilizing a plurality of wireless technology standards to communicate the wireless signals at the same time to the wireless peripheral device, wherein in light of the specification, pages 9 and 10 of the instant application, the multiple wireless systems are of a communication device for communications between the communication device and the wireless peripheral device. In either of Beach and Jones et al, the wireless signals optionally or alternatively are transmitted to the wireless peripheral device in one of a plurality of wireless technology standards for each time, during an initialization of the communication with the wireless peripheral device. It would not have been obvious for one skilled in the art to implement either of Beach and Jones et al for leading such the implementation to the claimed invention.

-Regarding independent claim 12, none of prior art of record teaches or suggests a method for terminating a message to a wireless peripheral device,

as claimed. Beach and Jones et al teach the claimed method, except neither of them teaches or suggests procedure of instructing multiple message service centers to communicate an activation message to the wireless peripheral device, the multiple message service centers utilizing at least two of i) a Global System for Mobile (GSM) communications technology standard, ii) a Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA) communications technology standard, iii) a Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) communications technology standard, iv) a GSM-ANSI Interoperability Team (GAIT) communications technology standard, and v) a combination of the Global System for Mobile (GSM) communications technology standard and the Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA) communications technology standard, at the same time for communicating with the wireless peripheral device. It would not have been obvious for one skilled in the art to implement either of Beach and Jones et al for leading such the implementation to the claimed invention.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should

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preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."


*Conclusion*

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Sanh D. Phu whose telephone number is (571)272-7857. The examiner can normally be reached on M-Fr from 8:00-16:30.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Matthew D. Anderson can be reached on (571) 272-4177. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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